UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BEFORE THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

VERIZON CALIFORNIA, INC.

and

Case 21-CA-039382

COMMUNICATIONS WORKERS OF AMERICA, LOCAL 9588, AFL-CIO

ORDER

The Respondent's Motion for Summary Judgment is denied. This denial is without prejudice to the Respondent's right to renew its deferral arguments to the administrative law judge and to raise the deferral issue before the Board on any exceptions that may be filed to the judge's decision, if appropriate.

Dated, Washington, D.C., April 15, 2013

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